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Dear Building Owner:

Recently, you responded to a survey we sent you concerning your property in the wake of September 11. At that time, many owners stated that there were issues revolving around the air quality and other health-related concerns.

The federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has a hotline number, 1-877-796-5471, that owners can call to have their apartments professionally cleaned, including carpets, draperies, upholstery, air conditioners and terraces. EPA will return the following day and test for in-air asbestos. All this will be done at no charge to the homeowner.

In addition, EPA, in conjunction with the New York City Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), will clean the exteriors of buildings to remove any dust or possible asbestos particles that may be present. DEP also has an Asbestos Control number -- (718) 595-3718 -- that homeowners may call to inquire about the exterior cleaning. *FAX (718) 595-3744*

If you need any additional information, please feel free to contact me at (212) 863-7019. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Anthony Smolenski

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Director, Program Support

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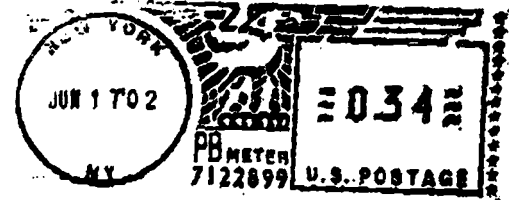
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